REMARKS:

Claims 1-5, 7-14 and 16-19

Applicants acknowledge and appreciate allowance of claims 1-5, 7-14 and 16-19.

In the Drawings:

The words --(prior art)-- have been added to Figs. 1-5 in the attached replacement sheets. Withdrawal of the objection is respectfully requested.

In the event a telephone conversation would expedite the prosecution of this application, the Examiner may reach the undersigned at (408) 971-2573. For payment of any additional fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, the Commissioner is authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 50-2587 (Order No. HSJ920030079US1).

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AMENDMENT TO THE DRAWINGS:

The attached sheets of drawings include changes to Figs. 1-5. These sheets replace the original sheets for Figs. 1-5.

In Figs. 1-5, the words --(prior art)-- have been added to the legends of the Figs.